

Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office of the Governor

Whereas, Golf has been a part of Lud Rettedal's life since he started as a caddy around the age of 14 in Clarkfield, Minnesota; and,

Whereas, In 1955, Lud and his family moved to Winner where Lud worked in the shoe business, and sharing the love of golf, Lud and his boss helped build the Winner golf course; and,

Whereas, Lud purchased a shoe store in Scotland in 1959; unfortunately, there was not a golf course in Scotland, but with the help of Jim and Arlene Hukki, a golf course was built in 1961; and,

Whereas, Lud served as the golf course superintendent from 1961 until 1994 (33 years), and Lud and Leighton Gemar are the only two original members in Scotland; and,

Whereas, Lud is still enjoying the fruits of his labor at the Scotland golf course, and he goes out to golf at least four to five times a week like he has done for the past 44 years; and,

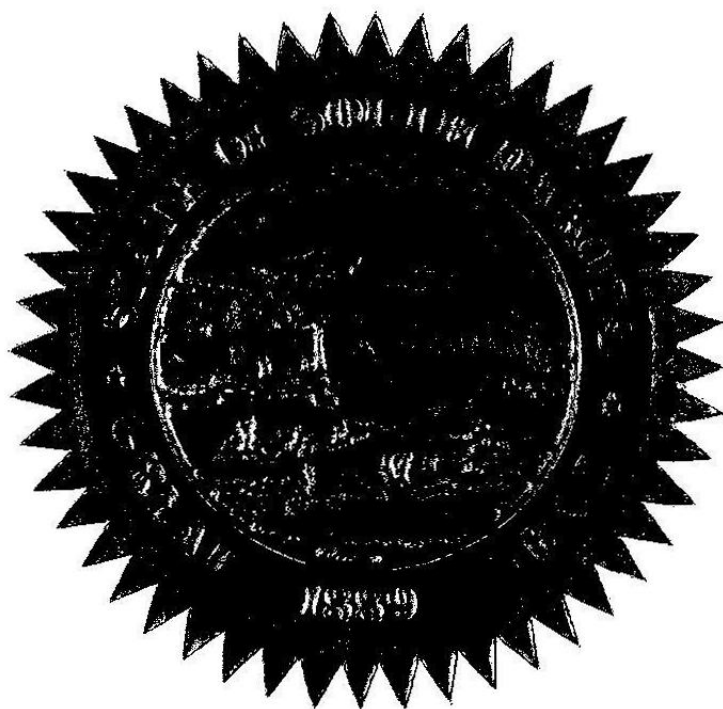
Whereas, The Board of Directors, members of the Scotland Dawson Creek Golf Course, friends, and family will host an open house on June 18, 2005, at the Scotland Dawson Golf Course to recognize his leadership and commitment to the community of Scotland:

Now, Therefore, I, M. Michael Rounds, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim June 18, 2005, as

LUD RETTEDAL DAY


in South Dakota.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Second Day of June in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Five.




M. Michael Rounds, Governor

Attest:


Chris Nelson, Secretary of State